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RECIPROCITY

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Class	Fee	No. Applications	Validity
A-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
A-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
A-3 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
B-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
B-1/B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
C-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
C-1/D	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
C-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
C-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
D	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
E-1 [2]	NO TREATY	N/A	N/A
E-2 [2]	NO TREATY	N/A	N/A
F-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
F-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
G-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
G-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
G-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
G-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
G-5 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
H-1B	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
H-1C	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
H-2A	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
H-2B	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
H-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
H-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
I	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
J-1 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
J-2 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
K-1	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
K-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
L-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
L-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
M-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
M-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
N-8	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
N-9	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
NATO 1-7	N/A	N/A	N/A
O-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]

O-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
O-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
P-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
P-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
P-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
P-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS [3]
Q-1 [6]	NONE	MULTIPLE	15 MONTHS [3]
R-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
R-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
S-5 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-6 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-7 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
T-1 [9]	N/A	N/A	N/A
T-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-3	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-4	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
TD [5]	N/A	N/A	N/A
V-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
V-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]
V-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]

SPECIAL CLEARANCE AND ISSUANCE PROCEDURES

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None.

DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS

Military Record

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Available. For those who served in the South African Permanent Armed Forces before Namibian independence on March 21, 1990, records may be obtained from the military headquarters in Pretoria, South Africa. Those who served in the Namibian Territory Force and/or are presently members of the Namibian Defense Force; records may be obtained from the Ministry of Defense in Windhoek.

Police Record

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Available. Applicants for police certificates may submit fingerprints at police stations throughout the country. Police stations forward fingerprints to the Namibian Police Criminal Record Center (NPCRC) in Windhoek for processing. It takes three to five weeks for NPCRC to complete the check and mail a certificate back to the police. The clearance is entirely manual. NPCRC cross-indexes by fingerprint and name. Neither NPCRC nor the police purge criminal records.

Prison Record

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Available. Make request to the Namibian Ministry of Home Affairs or the Windhoek Prison's records section.

Birth Certificate

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Available. Make request to the Namibian Ministry of Home Affairs in Katutura, Windhoek.

Death Certificate

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Available from the Namibian Ministry of Home Affairs in Windhoek.

Marriage Certificate

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Available. Make request to the Namibian Ministry of Home Affairs in Windhoek.

Divorce Documents

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Available. Make request to the Office of the Registrar, Room 34, High Court of Namibia. A fee may be charged for this service.

Court Records

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Available. Records of cases heard by the High Court and Supreme Court is available at the Office of the Registrar. A fee may be charged for this service.

Passports - Information on Travel Documents

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Passports are issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs of the Government of the Republic of Namibia, and are valid for a period of five years. The passport is green in color with the Namibian Coat of Arms appearing on the front, and the photo page is laminated. All particulars of the passport holder are written in black ink.

Namibian Identity Card

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All Namibian citizens should carry an ID card. It contains a 13 number ID of which the first six indicate the holder's birthday.

VISA ISSUING POST

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Windhoek (E) NIV Only

The U.S. Embassy is located at 14 Lossen Street, Ausspannplatz, Windhoek. Telephone number is (264-61) 22-1061; fax (264-61) 22-9792. The mailing address is Private Bag 12029, Windhoek, Namibia.

IV applications for nationals of Namibia are processed by the U.S. Consulate General Johannesburg, South Africa.

GEOGRAPHIC AREAS SERVICED

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All of Namibia.